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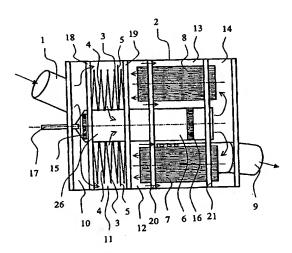
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(54) Title: EXHAUST GAS AFTERTREATMENT SYSTEM, ESPECIALLY FOR A DIESEL ENGINE

(54) Bezeichnung: ABGASNACHBEHANDLUNGSSYSTEM, INSBESONDERE FÜR EINEN DIESELMOTOR



(57) Abstract: The invention relates to an exhaust gas aftertreatment system, especially for a diesel engine. The exhaust gas aftertreatment system comprises an exhaust gas particle filter (3), a nitrogen oxide reduction catalyst (7, 8) connected downstream of the exhaust gas particle filter and a reducing agent feeding device (17). According to the invention, the exhaust gas particle filter (3) is embodied in the form of a porous, cylindrical filter body with a substantially radial exhaust gas in-streaming direction in the filter body, a filter groove area (26) for filtered exhaust gas and an axial exhaust gas out-streaming direction discharging from the filter groove area. Reducing agent is fed into the filter groove area (26) by means of the reducing agent feeding device (17). The invention can be used in motor vehicles, more particularly commercial vehicles.

(57) Zusammenfassung: 1. Abgasnachbehandlungssystem, insbesondere für einen Dieselmotor. 2.1. Es wird ein Abgasnachbehandlungssystem mit einem Abgaspartikelfilter (3), einem dem Abgaspartikelfilter nachgeschaltetem Stickoxid-Reduktionskatalysator (7, 8) und einer Reduktionsmittelzugabevorrichtung (17) vorgeschlagen. 2.2. Erfindungsgemäss ist das Abgaspartikelfilter (3)

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> ein poröser zylindrischer Filterkörper mit im wesentlichen radialer Abgaseinströmrichtung in den Filterkörper, einem Filterinnenbereich (26) für gefiltertes Abgas und axialer Abgasausströmrichtung aus dem Filterinnenbereich ausgebildet und über die Reduktionsmittelzugabevorrichtung (17) eine Zugabe von Reduktionsmittel in den Filterinnenbereich (26) vorgesehen. 2.3. Anwendung in Kraftfahrzeugen, insbesondere in Nutzfahrzeugen.





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